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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Joel K. Zupancic and Tomasz P. Kocjan.

Application No.: 10/603,018

Confirmation No.: 2586

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Examiner: Gravini, Stephen M.

Art Unit: 3749

For: System and Method For Controlling the  
Operating Parameters of a Setting System

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner For Patents  
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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application. Applicant is a small entity. A Statement was already filed. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply. The shortened statutory period of response was set to expire on November 2, 2004. Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a three (3) month extension of time. With this extension, the time to respond is now set at February 2, 2005. Enclosed is check No. 23169 in the sum of \$510 as the fee for the extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in these fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0280. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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					Small Entity			Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra		Rate	Additional Fee		Rate	Additional Fee
Total	17	- 20	= 0		x \$ 25	\$0		x \$ 50	\$0
Independent	3	- 3	= 0		x \$ 100	\$0		x \$200	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims					x \$180	\$0		x \$360	\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE									\$0

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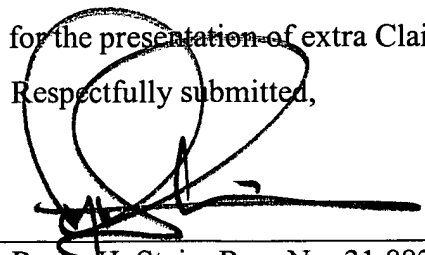
Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of extra Claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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